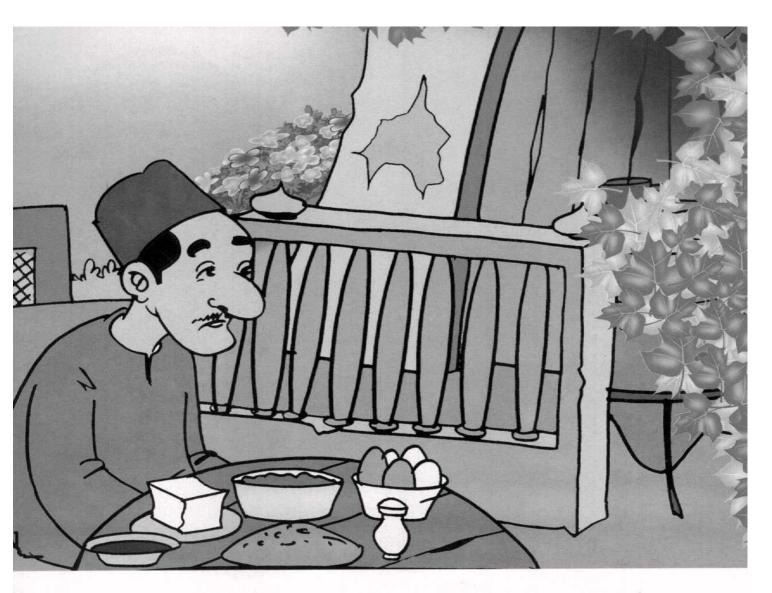




دِيْكُو دِيْكُ فَصِيْحٌ، تَعَوَّدَ كُلَّ يَوْمٍ عَلَى الاسْتِيْقَاظِ مُبَكِّرًا، وَالأَذَانِ حَتَّى يَسْتَيْقِظَ الجميْعُ.

Diko is a smart cock who used to get up early to cry and awaken everybody.



يَسْتَيْقِظُ عَمُّ مَرْزُوْق عِنْدَ سَمَاعٍ صَوْتِ دِيْكُو لأَدَاءِ عَمَلِهِ فِي الحَقْلِ.

Everyday when he hears Diko's voice, uncle Marzouk gets up to go to his farm.



بَعْدَ أَنْ يَتَنَاوَلَ عَمُّ مَوْزُوْق الطَّعَامَ، يَذْهَبُ إِلَى حَقْلِهِ لِيَزْرَعَ.

After having his breakfast, uncle Marzouk goes to do his work in the farm.



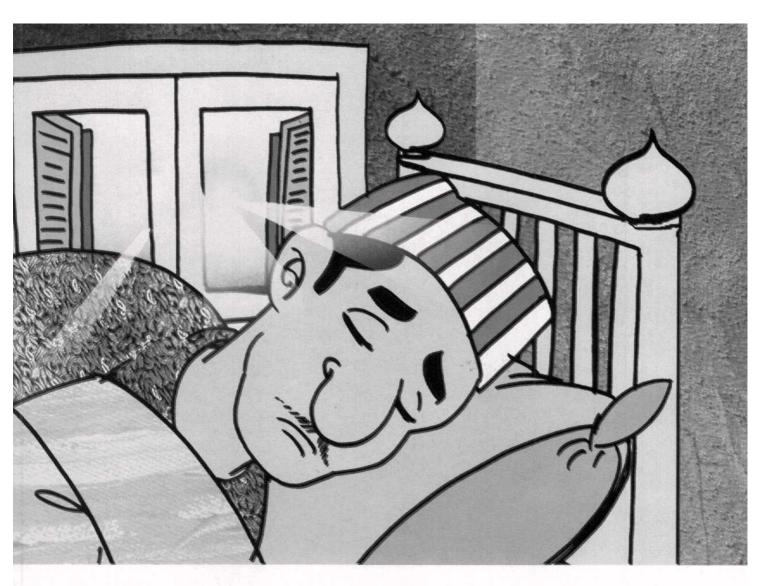
ثُمَّ يَعُوْدُ عَمُّ مَرْزُوْق إلِيَ البِيْتِ، وَمَعَهُ الطَّعَامُ لأَوْلادِهِ، والحَبُوبُ لِدِيْكُو.

Then, uncle Marzouk goes home carrying food for his children and some food for Diko.



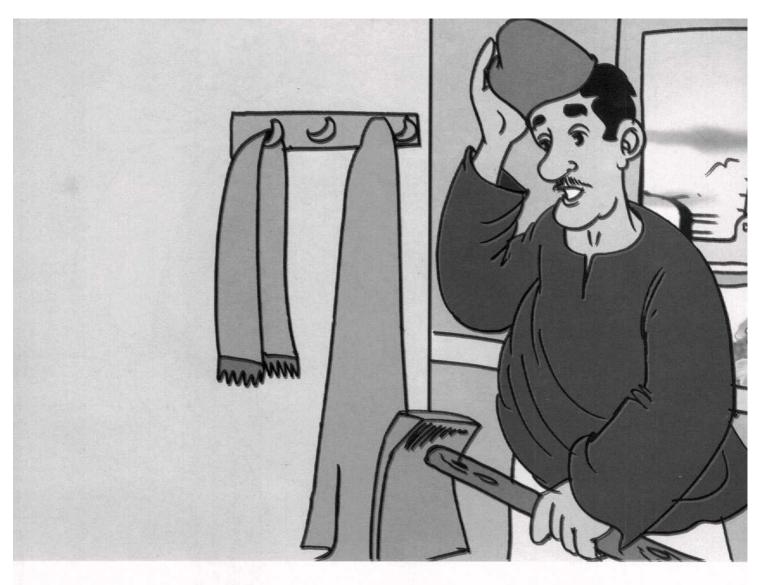
فِي يَوْمٍ مِنَ الأَيَّامِ ، شَعَرَ دِيْكُو بِالْكَسَلِ ، فَلَمْ يَسْتَيْقِظْ فِي مَوْعِدِهِ ، وَلَمْ يُؤَذِّنْ كَمَا اعْتَادَ كُلَّ صَبَاحٍ.

One day, Diko felt so tired that he could not get up to wake others as he used to.



لَمْ يَسْمَعْ عَمُّ مَرْزُوْق أَذَانَ دِيْكُو فِي الصَّبَاحِ.

Uncle Marzouk could not hear Diko's voice.



فَقَامَ مِنْ نَوْمِهِ مُتَأَخِّرًا، ثُمَّ أَسْرَعَ إِلَى حَقْلِهِ بَعْدَ شُرُوْقِ الشَّمْسِ.

So, he got up late and hurried to his farm after sunrise.



ظَلَّ عَمُّ مَرْزُوْق يَعْمَلُ فِي حَقْلِهِ إِلَى وَقْتٍ مُتَأَخِّرٍ.

Uncle Marzouk had to work at his farm till very late.



وَجَلَسَ دِيْكُو فِي بَيْتِهِ حَزِيْنًا جَائِعًا، فَقَدْ تَأَخَّرَ عَمُّ مَرْزُوْق عَنْ إِحْضَارِ الطَّعَامِ ذَلِكَ الْيَوْم.

Back home, Diko was very sad because he could not get his food on time that day.



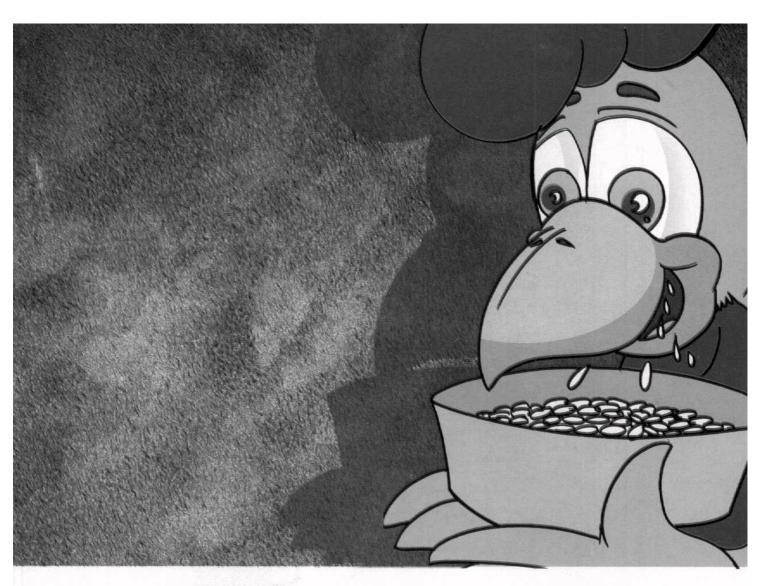


عَادَ عَمُّ مَوْزُوْق مِنْ حَقْلِهِ مُتَأَخَّرًا، وَقَدَّمَ الطَّعَامَ لأَوْلادِهِ.
Uncle Marzouk gave food to his kids very late.



وَقَدَّمَ الحَبُوْبَ الَّتِي أَحْضَرَهَا مِنَ الحَقْلِ إِلَى دِيْكُو.

And gave Diko the grains which he brought from the farm.



أَكَلَ دِيْكُو، ثُمَّ حَمَدَ الله، وَقَرَّرَ أَلا يَكْسلَ عَن الاسْتِيْقَاظِ مُبَكِّرًا وَالأَذَانِ ، حَتَّى لا يَجُوْعَ مَرَّةً ثَانيَةً.

Diko ate his food and decided he will never be late in getting up and waking others in order not to be hungry and sad again.